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Makes most healthful food  
No alum—no lime phosphates  
The only baking powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

## Big Sandy News

Friday, December 17, 1909.

Insure with Wallace. Life, Fire, Accident, etc. Office near depot.

Best books at Conley's.

C. E. Hensley pays cash for produce.

A light snow fell Wednesday night.

P. H. Vaughan went to Ashland Wednesday and was made a Shriner.

Boone Howard has moved from Magoffin county to Louisa.

Pierce's Christmas Display will interest you. Prices reasonable.

Fresh pork and pure pork sausage at Hensley's up-to-date grocery.

Go to Fitch & Company for New and Second-hand Clothing. Lowest prices.

Stop and see my new store just above the passenger depot.

W. N. Sullivan.

Mrs. Martin has moved into her property on Lock avenue recently vacated by A. N. Edgell.

We are informed that T. R. Crumpler has bought an interest in the coco-cola plant in Huntington.

Dr. W. B. McClure, of Lexington, will be in this city tomorrow (Saturday) and will remain over Sunday. He was called to Louisa to do some work in his special line.

Wiley Moore and Miss Josie Carter were married on Irish Creek last Thursday. The groom is a son of Thos. L. Moore and the bride is the youngest daughter of Thos. Carter, deceased.

William Cummings, of Charleston, who came here several days ago to visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. C. Adams, is quite ill, being threatened with pneumonia.—Cathlettsburg Tribune.

Rev. B. S. Akers will move here from West Huntington this week. He will occupy the residence recently vacated by James Hunt, Jr., belonging to Mrs. Wm. Wright, on East First street.—Ceredo Advance.

This sort of weather forcibly reminds one that clothing is a necessity. You want good clothes, too, and you are advised to see Loar & Burke for the best in fit, style, quality and price.

Mr. A. N. Edgell, who has been with H. Kish & Co., in this territory, will take a position with Crump & Field, of Ashland, the first of the year. His territory will be the Lexington division of the C. & O. Mr. Edgell is a good salesman.

The Louisa Bakery continues to be one of Louisa's very satisfactory industries. Their product is equal to any city bakery. We are glad to know that they are doing a good business. The Hamilton brothers, proprietors, are reliable and run their business in an up-to-date manner.

An epidemic of scarlet fever has struck terror to the hearts of Pikeville people, and the schools have been closed by order of the Board of Health for an indefinite period. Young Jack Johnson is one of the sufferers.

From a letter received we learn that attorney Watt Prichard, of this place, but who has been seriously at the home of his father, Hon. James Prichard, at Bolts Fork, for some time, is improving and is now thought to be out of danger.

See Pierce's cut prices before buying Wraps or Suits.

Dr. Burgess was called to Williamson Wednesday to see a patient.

Ladies Fine Tailored Suits, Wraps and Skirts for less at Pierce's.

W. J. Vaughan has gone to Carter county in the interest of Sunday School work.

Barney Reynolds has moved into the house on Maple Street recently vacated by Boyd Wellman.

FOR SALE:—65 feet of wooden fence, railings, used at front of parsonage lot of the M. E. Church South. Call on the Pastor for price.

To be certain about the quality of an article of jewelry is the most important point when you are buying it for a present. Conley's Store guarantees every article to be as represented and the guarantee is good.

B. J. Chaffin has rented a house on Lady Washington street, between the residences of John G. Burns and M. F. Conley. Mr. Chaffin will travel for Hagen, Ratcliff & Co., in the Guyan valley.

J. C. ("Tode") Short, of Yatesville, this county, was severely injured at Mahan, W. Va., recently. He was caught by a rolling log and the flesh stripped from about half of one arm. He is still at Mahan, where his injuries are being carefully looked after.

### Bride-to-be Is Known Here.

Cards inviting to the wedding of Miss Diana Ireland Norton, of Washington, to Capt. Clarence Norrop Jones, U. S. A., have been received by the bride-elect's friends in Louisa. Miss Norton is a granddaughter of the late Judge William C. Ireland. She is a most accomplished young woman, very beautiful, and inherits not only the personal charm of her mother, but the pleasing personality and grace of manner of Judge Ireland and his noble wife. The marriage will occur December 20.

### "Bill Jim."

B. J. Chaffin and family are once more among us. Their early return from Texas was prophesied by many but few if any expected them back so soon. There is but one thing that will permanently cure western fever. Bill Jim took it and his recovery followed. Experience, too, is said to be a fine teacher. We omit the remainder of the proverb.

### Was A Splendid Address.

The NEWS last week mentioned the fact that Mr. George McClure, of the School for the Deaf at Danville, had gone to Jackson, Miss., to deliver an address. The press of that city speak of the oration in glowing terms, the Daily News calling it a "splendid address."

### Have Gone to Chicago.

Mrs. James Skene and Miss Ellen Skene have gone to Chicago for a stay of some weeks, having left Louisa on Wednesday. After the completion of the Chapman dam they will be joined by Mr. Skene.

### And Sprained His Leg.

Commonwealth's Attorney Waugh was in this locality several days, hunting birds and beasts. He was reasonably successful, acquiring the game and a "game" leg.

### What Rumor Says.

In the language of many of the esteemed correspondents of the NEWS, rumor says we may expect a wedding in this place before long.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

J. J. Fagg visited his family last Saturday.

Arch McClure was in Cincinnati last week.

W. M. Fulkerson was an Ashland visitor recently.

Dr. Scott Hays, of Charley, was in this city on Thursday.

George W. Castle was a visitor in Cathlettsburg this week.

John Hatcher and family, of Kilgore, are guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Hatcher.

John Ekers, prominent teacher of Fallsburg, was in Louisa on Saturday last.

Mrs. Dixie Burke Tiernan, of Mt. Sterling, is visiting relatives in Louisa.

Burns Johnson and wife are expected home from Willow, Ky., on Saturday.

Miss Money Wilson, who has been visiting at Felix See's, returned home Sunday.

James Bromley and wife, of Huntington, are the guests of relatives in this city.

Mrs. C. L. Miller and Mrs. J. L. Carey were in Huntington Thursday of this week.

Miss Bertha Watson, of Ashland, was here several days recently, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. F. L. Stewart.

Miss Dockie See and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Andy See, of Lick Creek, were visiting in Louisa last Friday.

Miss Jettie O'Neal has returned to her home at Louisa, after a visit with relatives at this place.—Ceredo Advance.

Mrs. J. M. Turner and little daughter Emily have returned from a visit to Miss Myra Hazelton, of Cincinnati.

Harry Sammons, who had been several months running on a Missouri Pacific train as fireman, came home this week.

Mrs. E. E. Shannon was called to Cathlettsburg last week on account of the illness of her brother, William Cummings.

Col. Jay H. Northrup spent Friday in the city transacting business and visiting his daughter, Mrs. Charles Russell.—Ashland Commercial.

Miss Dockie Whit and Mrs. Oliver Loar, of Fallers, and guest, Miss Lucy Walker, of Paintsville, were shopping in Louisa on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Vinson and little son, Robert, of Louisa, Ky., are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Marcum.—Ceredo Advance.

Miss Katherine Preston, who has been the guest of Mrs. J. H. Preston for several weeks, returned on Monday last to her home at Thelma, Johnson county.

Mrs. Dorcas Snyder and Miss Bessie Lee Snyder, of Louisa, have returned to their homes, after a short visit with friends in this city.—Ashland Commercial.

Dr. Harry A. Wood, a prominent physician of Buffalo, N. Y., was here a few days last week. Dr. Wood makes a specialty of electro therapy and is very successful. The doctor, with Mrs. Wood and daughter, Miss Dorothy, returned to Buffalo on Saturday.

### Torchlight Property Redeemed.

It is reported that Col. Jay H. Northrup has redeemed the Torchlight coal property and that it will be re-conveyed to him within a short time.

If true, this will probably make it necessary for the Louisa Coal Company to erect buildings for miners, store and office, on the west side of the river at Torchlight, as this company has been using the Torchlight houses.

### Ashland Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Freeman, of Ashland, were guests of Judge and Mrs. R. T. Burns on Sunday last. Mrs. Freeman is a sister of the Rev. Dr. C. H. Williams, and is quite prominent in musical circles in Ashland. Mr. Freeman is the very efficient and popular train master of the O. & E. S. division of the C. & O.

Our Doughnuts are the best in the world. Try them. Louisa Bakery.

Read Conley's large Christmas ad on page 3.

# CHRISTMAS

Only one Week more to do your Shopping. Look this list over. You sure can find something Here Suitable for any Man or Boy.

## NECKWEAR.

The finest Silk Importations we have ever seen. Each in a Gem Box.

25c. 50c. 75c.

## MUFFLERS

In every Color and Style. Each in a nice Xmas Box.

25c. 50c. 75c. \$1.00. \$1.25.

## Gloves and Mittens

"Adler's Fine Kid Gloves." Wool, Knit and Leather.

ALL PRICES, 25c to \$1.50.

## Our CLOTHING

It goes without saying that our line is most complete.

# NASH & HERR,

LOUISA.

Men's and Boys Outfitters.

KENTUCKY

### SPLASH DAM.

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owners saved. The loss was about \$10,000, falling upon Vansant, Kitchen & Co., of Normal; Thornbury Bros., of Cathlettsburg; Nigh Bros., of Ironton; James Hatcher, of Pikeville, and the Yellow Poplar Lumber Co., of Coal Grove, Ohio. Hence the postponement of the formal test.

The formal test was a great success, every operation of the dam proving perfect and harmless. The writer received many congratulations, but none with greater pleasure than that from Mr. Isaacson, the general manager of the great lumber company having this dam built. Two very remarkable features of this test was that a head of sixteen feet and two inches could be caught with a flow of only one and one-half inches of water on the "toe sill." Second, that a concrete pier only twenty days old could at this season of the year, stand such a test.

JOHN McDYER.

### The Way of the Transgressor.

Three young men from the Cherokee neighborhood are confined in the county jail, sent there by a magistrate's court for shooting on the public highway. They had been to church, but their prayer books must have changed to pistols, for before they were out of the hearing of those left in the church they began to make night hideous with repeated firing.

Two of the fellows are brothers. All got righteous sentences—stiff fines and terms in jail. Each was fined sixty dollars, and they got jail sentences from fifteen to twenty days. There was many a dry eye in the Cherokee settlement when sentence was pronounced.

### The Last of the Three.

Cathlettsburg lost the last of her trio of noted steamboatmen in the death of Capt. J. M. Kirker, who died Saturday evening at 7:00 o'clock, aged 73. The other two of the trio were the late Capt. James M. Campbell and Wash Honshell. Capt. Kirker was connected with the White Collar Line of steamers for more than twenty-five years and was one of the best known rivermen on the upper Ohio river.

## Just Received a new line of Handsome Hats

Which I will sell at

Half Price.

FOR NEXT THIRTY DAYS.

MRS. W. M. JUSTICE.

## Men's and Ladies' House Slippers

In a Large Assortment of Styles and Colors.

60c 65c \$1.00 \$1.25 \$1.50.

## Coat Sweaters

MEN, WOMEN AND BOYS

In a large variety of Colors.

50c 75c \$1.00 \$1.25 \$1.50.

## HOSIERY

We have a beautiful line. We have a fine combination set consisting of Hose, Tie, and Handkerchief to match At \$1.00 a set. SEE THEM.

## Shoes for the Whole Family

AT PRICES TO SUIT ALL.

### Ladies' Bazaar.

On Wednesday and Thursday of next week, December 23 and 24, the ladies of the Baptist Church will conduct a bazaar in the building next below the gas office, the proceeds being for the benefit of their church. All kinds of useful and fancy articles, suitable for holiday presents and otherwise, will be offered. Refreshments of the most delicious kinds will also be provided. Remember this seasonable occasion.

### Prof. Ekers' School.

The winter term of Prof. John Ekers' High School at Fallsburg will begin Monday, Jan. 3, 1910, and continue until the May examination. The curriculum embraces the studies prescribed by the State Boards of Kentucky and West Virginia. Board and tuition, \$10 per month. tf.

### Notice to Stockholders.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Louisa will be held in their banking room January 11, 1910, at 1 p. m., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year.

You will find real china of medium price at Conley's store. Also, Haviland China.

### Special Announcement.

Finding our store largely overstocked with Dress Goods, Ladies Tailored Suits, Ladies and Childrens Wraps, Ladies Skirts, Millinery and hundreds of other goods that we have not space to mention, it is necessary to make the greatest cuts in prices ever made to this trade. Without regard to wholesale cost we will sacrifice thousands of dollars of the best and most stylish goods for spot cash. Those economical buyers who appreciate good bargains will do well to see our stock at once. Taking our guarantee that never before have such bargains been offered.

As a further most liberal inducement for your quick trade we will for the next fifteen days give free to each customer who spends \$5.00 with us at one time a Ladies Trimmed Hat.

You will do wisely to let us at least show you.

With thanks for past favors, W. D. PIERCE.

### NOTICE.

I am in shape to hammer and gum all kinds of saws and return to owner on short notice. All work guaranteed. Most earnestly solicit your patronage.

C. S. ARTHUR, Louisa, Ky.

Go to Sullivan's for Flour, alt and Groceries.

## Shoe Refinement.

The beauty and refined appearance of many a Kentuckian's feet is due to wearing

## BRUMFIELD SHOES.

It sounds like boasting but it is none the less true to say that we sell more Fine Shoes than any other concern in West Virginia and Kentucky.

This supremacy is but the natural result of Brumfield excellence in shoe making, scientific fitting and the consequent appreciation by a large body of particular men and women.

Priced \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00.

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